

EXECUTIVE ORDER

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CREATING THE ARIZONA STATE
FUEL AND ENERGY OFFICE

WHEREAS, critical fuel and energy shortages exist in the United States of America; and

WHEREAS, these fuel and energy shortages, if uncontrolled, may threaten the continuation of vital business enterprises, industries, services and utilities in the State of Arizona and thereby the continued employment of Arizona citizens, and may threaten the health and welfare of the State of Arizona and its political subdivisions; and

WHEREAS, the Administrator of the Federal Energy Office has published and will publish regulations which will require the participation of the State of Arizona in Federal programs to provide equitable allocation and distribution of fuel and energy which will be made available to the State; and

WHEREAS, on January 7, 1974, I proclaimed that an emergency exists in the State of Arizona as a result of the fuel and energy shortage;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jack Williams, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby create the Arizona State Fuel and Energy Office, and order and direct:

1. The composition and staffing of this office will be as directed by the Governor.
2. The overall mission shall be to manage the Fuel and Energy Emergency for the State in accordance with the policies established by the Governor/Legislative Leadership Energy Task Force, and directives issued by the Governor.
3. The functions and purpose shall be to:
 - a. Allocate fuel and energy supplies available to Arizona to insure:
 - (1) Essential public services.
 - (2) Production, processing and transportation of agricultural products.
 - (3) Minimize unemployment.
 - (4) Avoid undue hardships.
 - b. Develop:
 - (1) Fuel and Energy conservation plans.
 - (2) Overall state public information program.

- c. Conduct intensive research on fuel and energy availabilities and their impact on social and economic factors.
 - d. Implement the regulations published, and to be published, by the Administrator of the Federal Energy Office as they may apply to the State of Arizona.
 - e. Provide the staff work for the functioning of the Governor/Legislative Leadership Energy Task Force.
4. This order shall become effective immediately, and will terminate on January 31, 1975.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have
hereunto set my hand and caused to
be affixed the Great Seal of the State
of Arizona.

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix this
8th day of January in the year of Our
Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred
and Seventy-four and of the Independence
of the United States the One Hundred
and Ninety-Eighth.

GOVERNOR

Attest:

Secretary of State